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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) form and/or listed herein and which the Examiner may deem material to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after either a Final Office Action, Notice of Allowance, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application (whichever is earlier), but before payment of the Issue Fee, and therefore Applicant is submitting herewith a check for the fee of \$180.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), and a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e).

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In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) for

foreign language documents, Applicant attaches herewith English language Abstracts for each of

the documents submitted. Further, Applicants have attached a copy and a translation of the

Japanese Office Action dated May 10, 2005, which refers to the foreign language documents.

Applicants note that the foreign patent documents listed on the attached MODIFIED

PTO/SB/08 A & B (08-03) were previously disclosed on July 1, 2005. However, the July 1,

2005 submission did not include each document in its entirety. Therefore, Applicants are

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The submission of the listed documents is not intended as an admission that any such

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Respectfully submitted,

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